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Observations...

By UDELL

The festivities of Carnival are over, and the whole world is united for the next forty days in prayer as the season of Lent starts. Prayer and prayer alone will save the world from the clutches of communism. During these next weeks, let us, of all faiths and creeds, pray that the world will once again be restored to peace and harmony.

Maybe, our eyes are just deceiving us, or maybe we haven't looked in the right places, but Bay St. Louis certainly hasn't done anything to make our City more attractive for the visitors who will come here within the next two weeks on the annual Garden Club Pilgrimage. It isn't due to a lack of flowers and garden tools, which are available at reasonable prices from our local merchants, that beautification of Bay St. Louis has been delayed for so many years. It must fall back to the fact that our citizens are lacking in civic pride and energy.

So many of our local residents have beautified their surroundings, but offsetting this are our neighbors who just don't care if they live with weeds and garbage littering their front yards. Residents who have moved into new homes within the last month have already beautified their yards, which goes to show that they have civic pride. Can't our City Fathers do something about the beach front that has grown over with weeds and about some of the other unattractive spots that will greet our Pilgrims next month? Bay St. Louis should have a year-round clean-up program. The results will be both gratifying and beautiful.

The continuous rain of last week brought to light the fact that many of our drains around town need cleaning. One of our subscribers called and said that she needed boots to get out of her yard on Julia street, and to add insult to injury, she complained about the garbage thrown in her front yard. For the information of the parties at fault, the City has a truck that collects refuse on certain days of the week. Find out what day it passes your home and keep your trash in a container so that it may be collected.

Oc Delph, owner of Mauffray Dry Goods, has a pleasant surprise in store for his customers when the remodeling of his business establishment is completed. It will be a modern, up-to-date store that offers both beauty and convenience to its patrons.

The St. Stanislaus Sidelines Club honored the members of the football squad at a banquet last Thursday night. Members of the team were awarded red satin football jackets with the letters S on the front.

We would like to congratulate the S. J. A. Mothers' Club and all who participated in making the annual Carnival Ball a lovely success, and the Bay High P-T. A. and its co-workers for the beautiful Mardi Gras parade and ball. Both were jobs well done.

Answering a call for the accident on the highway Wednesday morning, our local fire engine was put out of commission when something went wrong in the motor. An engine for the use of the City Fire Department was secured through the cooperation of the U. S. Navy.

W. J. Gex, Mrs. R. Camors Reign Over 19th Annual Carnival Ball



On the stage at the Carnival Ball Friday are, reading from left to right, N. L. Carter, king of 1961; Mrs. R. L. Camors and W. J. Gex, 1962 rulers; Mrs. P. E. Porter, Jr., 1961 queen; and Felice and Angele Camors, trainbearers.

—Photo by Nelius Favre

Ask Pecan Growers To File Names

Farmers Urged To Make Better Use Of Supplies

Faced with a continuing shortage of sulphur for use in the making of superphosphate, farmers of Hancock County can do a number of things to make better use of supplies which are available, says Fitzhugh Lee, chairman of the county PMA committee.

Because of this situation, the chairman makes the following suggestion:

On land that has received moderate to heavy phosphate applications over a period of years, application rates can be decreased for a year or two without serious decrease in crop yields.

Since lime makes native phosphate and past applications of phosphate more readily available, the use of lime will help release for use substantial amounts of phosphate that would otherwise remain "locked" in the soil. Adding lime before or at the time of applying superphosphate usually makes the phosphate more available.

A proper balance of lime, nitrogen, phosphate and potash, and other materials is needed for maximum production. Soil testing is one of the best ways to determine this balance. Such tests help the farmer determine what fertilizers are needed and the amounts.

A good green manure crop turned under also helps to make phosphate in the soil more available. Green manure crops help to restore humus and legume crops and nitrogen.

Mr. Lee said that all of these ways of saving on superphosphate will be considered in approving soil and water conservation practices under the Agricultural Conservation Program this year. He urges farmers to cooperate in every way possible so that our limited supply of superphosphate may be used more effectively to produce the crops needed to meet 1962 production goals.

All pecan growers in Bay St. Louis or Hancock County with 25 or more trees are requested to contact Howard F. Simmons, County Agent.

The County Agent is trying to get a list of local growers to be sent to headquarters in Albany, Georgia.

For the past three marketing seasons, producers of pecans in Mississippi, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida and Alabama, have been marketing under a "pecan marketing agreement order."

It is necessary that producers of pecans vote every three years by ballot for or against the marketing agreement. The election will be held during the spring months, probably in April, 1962, Simmons added.

In order that the Administrative Committee will have names and addresses of all producers in Hancock County, the County Agent must compile the list. Headquarters will, in turn, mail all growers a ballot which they must fill out and return directly to the address given.

All growers are urged to contact the County Agent's office and file their names.

NEW GARDEN CLUB MEETS

The Rake and Hoe Garden Club, which was just organized, held its first meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Mathis in Waveland Friday, February 22.

Election of officers was postponed until the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. Ray Stieffel, Friday, March 21, at 2:00 p. m.

Attending the meeting were Mesdames G. W. Tucker, Philip Hayes, K. T. Brelaud, Joe Hartman, A. J. Butz, E. Gates, Raymond Kirt, A. J. Falkenstein, Morris Garcia, Ray Stieffel and A. Mathis.

Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rollins announce the marriage of their daughter, Alicia, to John C. Ellis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis of Pass Christian, Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1962.

Mrs. Robert L. Camors and Walter J. Gex, who were crowned king and queen of the 19th annual Carnival Ball at St. Joseph Academy Friday night, February 22.

The keynote of the ball was struck by Pat Joyner, S. J. A. student, as young George Washington. She danced around and finally chopped the cherry tree in the center of the auditorium.

The curtain opened revealing the theme, "Dreams of Mount Vernon" with the back drop painted to represent the home of George Washington.

Seated on the porch were the king and queen, following her entrance, and the king and queen of 1961, N. L. Carter and Mrs. P. E. Porter Jr.

The queen, who was escorted to her throne by Dr. H. A. Eldredge, wore a gown of gold lame cloth fashioned with a full skirt and off-the-shoulder bodice. The front panel of the skirt was of gold net, and at either side the lame was draped in panier effect. The front of the skirt was embroidered in floral designs of rhinestones and sequins. The sheer bodice had a sweetheart neckline outlined with rhinestones and sequins.

Her majesty carried a bouquet of talisman roses which she later exchanged for a jewel necklace. Her crown was of rhinestones, and her mantle, topped with a rhinestone studded medallion collar, was of red velvet with the design in gold sequins.

Felice and Angele Camors were train bearers. They wore bouffant dresses of white nylon tulle. Felice's dress was trimmed with lace in the form of old fashioned fans and Angele's with tiny ostrich feathers.

The maids all wore bouffant dresses in pastel shades and carried fan shaped bouquets of spring flowers.

The court, the largest in a number of years, included Mesdames M. Coward, Russell Elliott, Walter Raush, Rodney Hand, Paul Tourne, J. S. Blanchard, Horace L. Kerger, G. C. Battalora, E. J. Arceneaux, James Norman, Alden Mauffray, G. Seuzeneau, C. D. Blair, E. N. Spence, N. L. Carter, W. Burns, V. Loeu, M. A. Phillips Jr., Lucien Gex, Lucy Manera, E. Heath, M. J. Langurand, T. A. Quigley, John Morrill, John L. Griffin, M. A. Gilmore, H. W. Lettissier and Guy Billups Jr., as maids.

Dukes were P. E. Porter Jr., Dr. J. Griffin, J. S. Blanchard, Guy Billups Jr., Walter Raush, James Norman, Dr. G. C. Battalora, E. J. Arceneaux, E. N. Spence, Alden Mauffray, E. Heath, Paul Tourne, V. Loeu, Horace L. Kerger, Roger Boh Sr., M. Coward, C. D. Blair, Russell Elliott, Dr. E. L. Irby, Leo Seal Jr., Dr. T. A. Quigley, H. W. Lettissier, W. Burns, M. J. Langurand, G. Seuzeneau, Rodney Hand, T. T. Robin and M. A. Phillips Jr.

A minuet, danced to the music of Ignace Paderewski's Minuet in G by Jose V. Loeu, served as entertainment for the court. The following couples took part in the Minuet: Dotie Loup and Gregory Favre; Alice Seafide and Fred Cabell; Betty Perrin and Alfredo Canler; Mary Rose LaBuzze and Gerald Gex; Patsy Favre and Andre Arceneaux; and Noel Gaudin and Luis Botazzi.

The entertainment was under the direction of Mrs. Nelius Rhodes and the setting and decorations were made by the St. Joseph Academy Mothers' Club under the supervision of Mrs. Elsie Granat.

Members of the floor show were: Evans, Leo Seal Sr., Dr. H. A. Eldredge, Roger M. Boh, Dan M. Russell, Emilio Cue, Dr. M. J. Wolfe, Rene deMontuzin Jr., E. P. Kirkpatrick and M. A. Gilmore.

Mrs. E. Leonhard Expires Monday

Mrs. Lillie Kalinski Leonhard, widow of the late Ernest E. Leonhard of Bay St. Louis, died at her home in New Orleans, Louisiana, February 25, at 7:30 a. m.

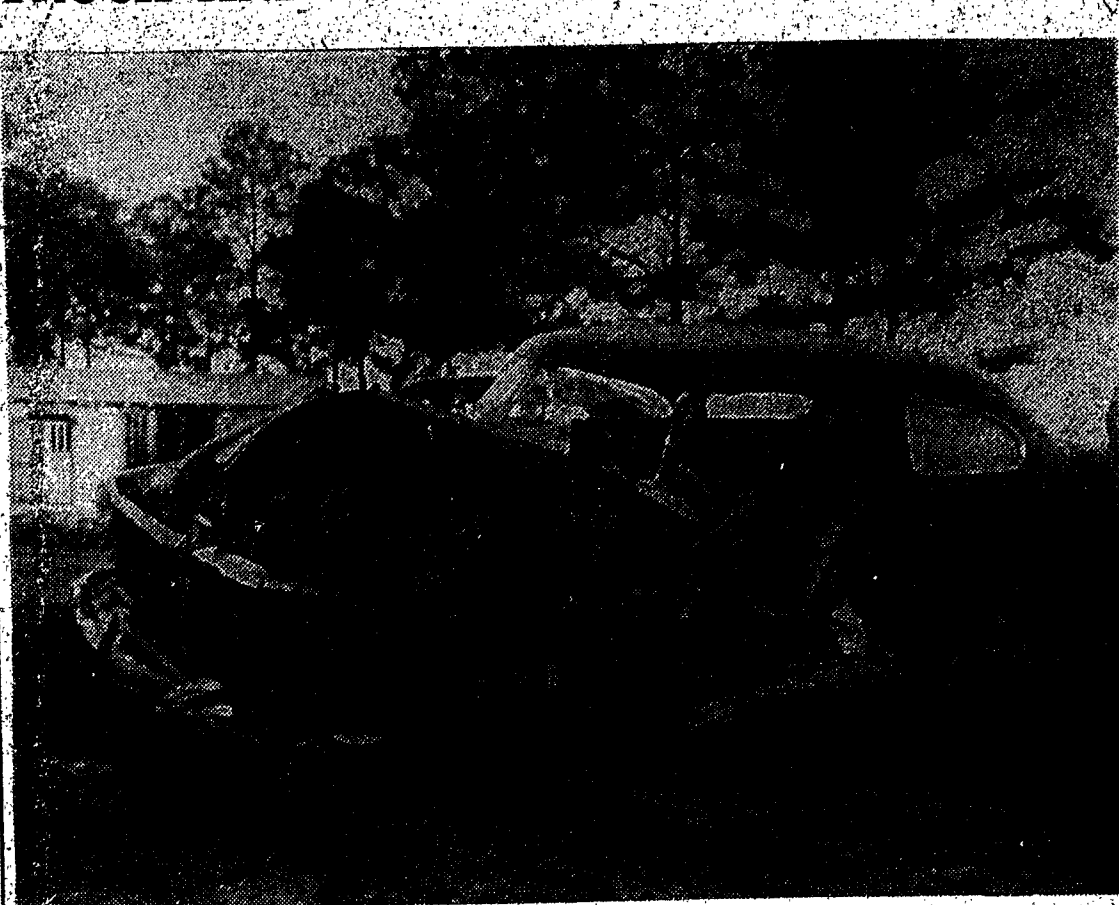
Mrs. Leonhard, a native of New Orleans, was 72 years of age when she died. She resided here until 1930 at which time she returned to New Orleans to make her home.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, February 26, at 3:30 p. m. from the Jacob Schoen Home with religious services at St. Paul Episcopal church. Burial was in Metairie cemetery.

Mrs. Leonhard is survived by a son, A. T. Leonhard, of New Orleans and a number of nieces and nephews, among whom are Mesdames Roger Boh, Josie Olson and J. C. Roland Sr., and Charles A. Breath Jr., of Bay St. Louis.

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TRUCK AND CARGO BURNED IN ACCIDENT WED



The car driven by Farrell, in the accident on Highway 90, early Wednesday morning, is shown above.

A truck, which contained a large quantity of gasoline, was involved in an accident on Highway 90, early Wednesday morning, which resulted in the burning of the truck and its cargo.

The fire originated in the truck, which was driven by Farrell, 3381 Beattie, Keesler Field, near Pine, one-half mile from St. Louis on Highway 90, and headed into the truck. The gas tank exploded, and the truck was knocked away from the trailer, and the contents exploded.

Farrell, who, according to Texas, driver of the truck, headed west with a carload of gas and gasoline when the accident occurred.

Riding in the car with Farrell was Charles J. Earl, owner of the 1948 Hudson, who is a civilian student at Keesler Field.

According to Patrolman Farrell, damages on the truck and contents were estimated at \$10,000. The car sustained \$1,000.

Farrell, who, according to Patrolman, has been charged with reckless driving, suffered a fracture of the left arm, a shoulder and a break in his arm. No one else was injured.

He was taken to Keesler Field hospital by Fahey's ambulance for treatment.

Red Cross Always Gives Aid; Seeks Help Now

Plans Arranged For '52 Pilgrimage

The Gulf Coast Council of Garden Clubs, Inc., will sponsor its annual Spring Pilgrimage this year starting with Pascagoula Friday, March 7, two days preceding the National Council of Garden Clubs convention in Biloxi.

The convention will be held March 9 through March 12. Biloxi will have its Pilgrimage Friday, March 15; Bay St. Louis, Waveland and Clément Harbor, Wednesday, March 19; Pass Christian, Friday, March 21; Long Beach Sunday, March 23.

The Pilgrimage in Pascagoula will start on the morning of March 7 at Gaudier, Miss., where the old Gaudier home will be opened. This home, which has always been in the Gaudier family, is now owned by Mrs. Josie Gaudier. It has been kept in all of its original beauty.

Longfellow's house and several other gardens will be opened in Pascagoula in the afternoon, including the Old Spanish Fort and the new garden center.

Final Rites Held For W. H. Hodges

W. H. Hodges Sr., who owns a summer home in Waveland, died about 11:45 a. m. Thursday, February 21, while presiding as chairman of the New Orleans Junior Livestock Show at Arabi stockyards.

Funeral services for Mr. Hodges, Louisiana livestock executive and New Orleans civic leader, were conducted Friday, February 22, at 4:00 p. m. from the House of Bultman. Interment was in Metairie cemetery.

Mr. Hodges, 57, who has served as chairman of the show since its inauguration in 1935, was stricken with a heart attack shortly after introducing a guest to the audience.

A native of Macon, Miss., Mr. Hodges had resided in New Orleans most of his life. He was president of the W. H. Hodges Co., Inc., of Alexandria, and a brother, Richard Hodges; and a brother, Clyde Hamilton Hodges, Crowley.

Survivors include his widow, the former Miss Evelyn Livaudais; five daughters, Mrs. T. M. Gordon Jr., and Misses Marion, Beverly, Joyce and Gail Hodges; and four sons, W. H. Hodges Jr., Roy, Jack and Richard Hodges; and a brother, Clyde Hamilton Hodges, Crowley.

Today Scheduled For World Prayer

Friday, February 29, at 3:00 p. m. the Council of Church Women will observe the World Day of Prayer at the First Baptist church.

Members of the Baptist, Episcopal, Methodist, Missionary Baptist and Presbyterian churches will participate in an interesting program.

This meeting is open to all Christian women.

Brother of Local Resident Expires

John Berry Martin, brother of Thomas J. Martin of Bay St. Louis, died at his home in Flat Top Friday, February 22, at 2:00 a. m.

Mr. Martin, who was 75 years of age, was a native and lifelong resident of Hancock County; he was the husband of the former Rebecca Scoper. His parents were the late Marantha Mitchell and James Martin.

Funeral services, conducted by McDonald Funeral Home of Piquette, were held from his late residence Saturday, February 23, at 3:00 p. m. with religious services at Harmony Baptist church. Rev. George I. Zbinden officiated at the church and Flat Top cemetery.

He is survived by his widow; six sons, Cecil E. Martin, Logtown; James Martin, Pass Christian; Clinton W., Hayes F. and Willard Martin, all of Flat Top; a daughter, Mrs. Charles Moran, Flat Top; two brothers, Mr. Martin of Bay St. Louis and Andrew Martin of New Orleans; 12 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

PLAN ANTIQUE SHOW IN BILOXI

By MAUD G. McDARIS

The Beach Garden Society, Biloxi, is sponsoring the second annual Antique Show to be held in the Hurricane Room, Buena Vista Hotel, February 28 and 29 and March 1 and 2.

Mrs. Thomas Scanlon, Davenport, Iowa, is again managing the show and dealers from throughout the north and east will display unusual, rare and valuable jewelry, cameos, colored and clear glass, china, buttons, dolls, prints, primitive and antique furniture.

Antique Shows mean much to a community in that they bring in interesting people with vision, furnish diversion for tourists and homefolks alike and are educational in scope. Historians and those studying history are brought face-to-face with the type of things our forefathers and folks of other lands have used in days past. Local people should contact these dealers if they have antiques for sale as this will be both a buyers and sellers market to which the public is invited.

The Beach Garden Society will use money from the show to replenish the hospital and charity fund of the organization.

Theatre Casts Roles For Play

Roles for the "Curious Savage," first production of the Bay St. Louis Little Theatre for 1962 have been cast by Dr. H. M. Keefe, director.

The play, which was a success on Broadway in 1951, is a fast-paced three act comedy.

The production is scheduled for the first week of April.

Highway Officials To Remove Signs Violating Law

The State Highway Department announced last week that a statewide clean-up in highway advertising signs is now in progress. A spokesman for the department revealed that the move is in line with legislation already on the books, and calls for eventual removal of all commercial signs in violation of state law.

Signs along the highway, limited to a maximum of 200 feet from the intersection of two public roads or a railroad.

It was said that those signs that compare as "large and expensive" would not be wrecked, but that owners would be given ten days notice to remove them and to meet allowances permitted by law.

It is requested that all sign companies and their customers check with officials of the State Highway Department before installing signs along the highway. This procedure is a precautionary measure to prevent advertising signs and billboards from being placed on State Highway Department right-of-way.

A representative of the Highway Department will be in Bay St. Louis and vicinity this week or in the near future to check with owners of billboards.

Plan Novena For Lakeshore

A Novena to Our Lady of Fatima will be conducted Wednesday, March 5, at 7:00 p. m. at St. John's church, Lakeshore, by Rev. Father DePaul Landrum, M.S.S.T.

After the services, an open discussion on the Catechism and informal teachings of the Catholic Church will be held followed by a question and answer period.

This service will be held every Wednesday night during the Lenten season.

Non-Catholics are cordially invited to attend.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the National Council of Garden Clubs is holding its convention on the Mississippi Gulf Coast during the week of March 3-8, 1962; and

WHEREAS, our community is included in the itinerary of the Gulf Coast Garden Pilgrimage immediately following the convention date of the National Council of Garden Clubs; and

WHEREAS, all civic and business organizations and individual home owners should cooperate in presenting a neat and tidy community to the visitors who will surely be in our midst during this annual pilgrimage to the Mississippi Coast cities;

BE IT, THEREFORE, KNOWN that I, WARREN CARVER, Mayor of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, do hereby declare the week of March 3 through March 8, 1962, as Community Clean-Up Week.

WARREN CARVER, Mayor

ATTEST:

J. CYRIL GLOVER, Commissioner

SYLVAN J. LADNER, Jr., Commissioner

"Bees" Win First Place For Schools In Parade Tuesday, February 26

On the traditional Shrove Tuesday, Mardi Gras misrule in Bay St. Louis for the enjoyment of the youngsters and pleasure of the citizens and visitors.

The parade formation on Carroll avenue started at 2:00 p. m. directed by T. J. Broadus and Wayne Allison with Bill Lizana on his beautiful "Golden Lady" as Captain, led by Mr. Blackwell, State Highway Patrolman and Pat Garcia, City Police, followed by City Officials of Bay St. Louis and Waveland, Board of Trustees, American Legion Color Bearers and their 40-and-8's, horsemen, the Bay Central Band under the direction of Mr. Brent, and the King's float with the Dukes in convertibles, commenced the route through the City along through-packed streets.

Stopping at the Court House, at ceremonies planned by Mrs. C.

A. Breath, Jupiter received the Keys of the City from Mayor Warren J. Carver and toasted his Queen, Juno.

Along the remainder of the route back to the Bay Central gym, Mrs. Wilson Wittberger and her judges, Mesdames Nina Stillwell and Bea Smith Floyd and Bernard F. Farrelly, viewed the floats, entered as "snow" by the first and second grades of Bay High; "Butterflies," Webb School; "Night" third and fourth grades, Bay High; "Planting Time," Taylor School; "Rainbow," 6th and 7th grades, Bay High; "Harvest Time," Gulfview Consolidated; "Sea Shells," Waveland; "Bees," St. Joseph's Academy; "Wood," "Rabbits," first grade Christ Church School; "Jungle," second grade Christ Church School; Kern's Teen-agers decorated

car; "Cotton," Youth Center; "Sda," Women's Benevolent Association "Pine Trees," Mali Clerks; "Coal Miners," Delta Sigma Chi; and "Pine Nursery" by Mrs. Reinke.

The Bay High gym was the scene for the remainder of the Mardi Gras festivities, with the Grecian decorations carried out by Mrs. Bill Witter, Mrs. Harold Kranky and co-workers.

The Court was presented to the audience by Miss Shirley Miller, Captain of the Court. The Goddesses and Gods, in their beautiful costumes, took their places before the Temple, awaiting Jupiter, Robert Nichols, with his pages, Paul Miller and Edward Sardella, who ascended the throne to await Juno, Miss Frances Nichols, and her flower girls.

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Legislative Views

By WALTER JAMES PHILLIPS

During the past week of the Legislature, a flood of bills has come from the House, and have been placed before the Senate for their consideration. The appropriation bills have also come out of Committee, and a large number are on the calendar awaiting action by the House.

One appropriation, which has not yet come out of Committee, upon which a great deal of discussion has been had is the one for the schools of the State of Mississippi. Proponents of the foundation plan advanced by the Mississippi Education Association have been advocating at least a \$50,000,000 appropriation for the schools. Governor White has stated that a \$50,000,000 appropriation would be all that he could afford at this time. After considerable discussion, it was finally agreed that a \$50,000,000 appropriation at this time would be in order, and a Study Committee would be appointed by the Speaker of the House and the Lieutenant Governor, to investigate the possibilities of another approach to the School problem in the State.

It is believed that this Committee can make an exhaustive study of the school situation, and be in a position to report at a later date. The Governor has indicated that he would call a special session to put into operation the program recommended by this Study Committee. With agreement reached on the School problem, it is evident that not much time will be wasted on the floor in arguing that the agreed \$50,000,000 appropriation will give the school teachers of the State a small raise, and will also enable the building program to be instituted.

Another problem, which faces the Legislature, and which is believed, will cause a great deal of discussion is the reapportionment and the redistricting problem. It has become necessary

for Mississippi to lose one Congressman due to the decrease in population throughout the State. It is the Legislature's duty to redistrict the State into Congressional Districts to take care of the loss of one Congressman.

There is, of course, some opposition to each plan introduced so far. A great deal of time will have to be spent before any plan can be formulated that will pass both Houses.

Equally important, and just as controversial, is the reapportionment problem facing the State of Mississippi. The major population loss in the State has occurred in the Northeastern section, whereas the Southern part has increased its population. With the increase in population, it is believed by many that the Southern part should have more representatives in the State Legislature. Under the formula advanced by the Constitution of 1890, the Northeastern portion of the State received most of the Representatives. It is believed that this is an appropriate time to readjust our situation, and increase the number of representatives in the Southern portion, particularly Harrison and Forrest Counties. It is also expected that this problem will take a great deal of time in being solved.

No major legislation passed the House this past week. The Gas Chamber bill passed Thursday, and was held over on a motion to reconsider. A few other bills, having to do with appeals from certain Courts, and raising County Judges salaries in certain Counties, were passed, as well as bills having to do with grading of road for agriculture purposes. During the past week your Representative has introduced a bill which would allow the Highway Department to sell to the Counties of Harrison and Hancock a portion off of each end of the bridge, which is now being used on Highway 30 to cross the Bay of St. Louis, to be used as public piers. It is not anticipated that much difficulty will be encountered in passing the

WMS CIRCLE MEETS

The Caroline Bowdler Circle of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Thursday, February 21, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ickigen on Ballentine street.

Following the opening prayer by Mrs. Schuyler Batson and the devotional by Mrs. G. T. Patterson, the subject, "What the Lottie Moon Offering has contributed to local missions" was discussed. Taking part were Mrs. T. B. Sellers, Mrs. Bill Morreale, Mrs. W. S. Fahlman and Mrs. J. L. Losh.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by the hostess.

Christened Sunday

Debra Leigh Salama, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sciana, was baptized Sunday, February 24, by Rev. Father Hugh Taylor at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic church.

Sponsors were Mrs. Dawn Ruby and Charles Sciana.

Auxiliary To Meet

The Women's Auxiliary of the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday, March 12, at 11:00 a. m. at the club house.

All members are urged to attend.

GOOD NEIGHBORS MEET FEBRUARY 20

The Good Neighbors Club of Cedar Point met Wednesday, February 20, at the home of Mrs. F. C. Vasterling.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames C. Schaefer and C. L. Reab. Members attending were Mesdames W. H. Miller, C. J. Sick, Louise Smith, C. Schultz, C. Nelson, F. Haman, J. A. Coward, Nellie Martin, E. G. Haro, D. L. Tonkel, M. Backman, Nellie Christy, D. C. Palmer, M. E. Seitz, Myrtle Christy and J. L. January and Denise Tonkel.

1292 Mississippi Casualties In Korea

Mississippi battle casualties in Korea now total 1,292, according to a statement today released by Bob De Kay, State Veterans Affairs Commissioner.

The records of the Veterans Affairs Commission of Mississippi show that from June 27, 1950 until January 29, 1952, 217 Mississippians were killed in action.

Another bill was introduced with a view in mind to reducing the personal tax on automobiles. This bill would grant an exemption up to \$500.00 for one automobile in each family, or truck, thereby reducing somewhat the great tax load now placed upon the automobile or truck owner.

plans have died as a result of wounds or injuries received by them in combat in Korea. 798 have been wounded and 117 have been injured. 160 Mississippians are reported as being missing or prisoners. This total of 1,292 casualties does not include those service men from Mississippi who have died of injuries or diseases whose service was not in Korea.

Fighting in Korea began on June 27, 1950. The first Mississippi casualty reported was when Sergeant First Class Robert E. Holloway of Glen Allen was reported as wounded on July 16, 1950. On August 17, 1950 the Department of Defense reported Private First Class Charles Ray Smith of McComb and Corporal Xavier O. Carpenter of Harperville, as being killed in action.

City Echoes

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Aime are spending several days in Miami, Florida, and will go from there to Tampa. They are expected home by March 8.

Mrs. John Furr, who has been a patient at Touros Infirmary for almost two weeks, returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaspar Soldini spent the weekend with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Furr.

Mrs. Leonie Monti, Tony Monti, Missess Udell and Beverly Favre and Rosemary Blaize and Curtis Favre, will attend the caping services at Hotel Dieu tonight. Miss Joy Monti, a student in the school of nursing, will be capped.

Miss Hilda Besancon has been a victim of the flu for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Andre Trawick and son, Keith, of New Orleans are spending a few days with their relatives, the J. S. Blanchards.

Miss Barbara Slick attended the funeral of Mrs. Lillie Leonard in New Orleans Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Roland Sr., was taken to King's Daughters hospital Monday by Fahey's Ambulance for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spoto have as their guest Mrs. Spoto's sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles M. Cox, of Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Charles G. Moreau is visiting relatives in San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Campbell of Long Beach and Misses Celestine and Juanita Barrios spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George L. Seuzeneau Jr., and family.

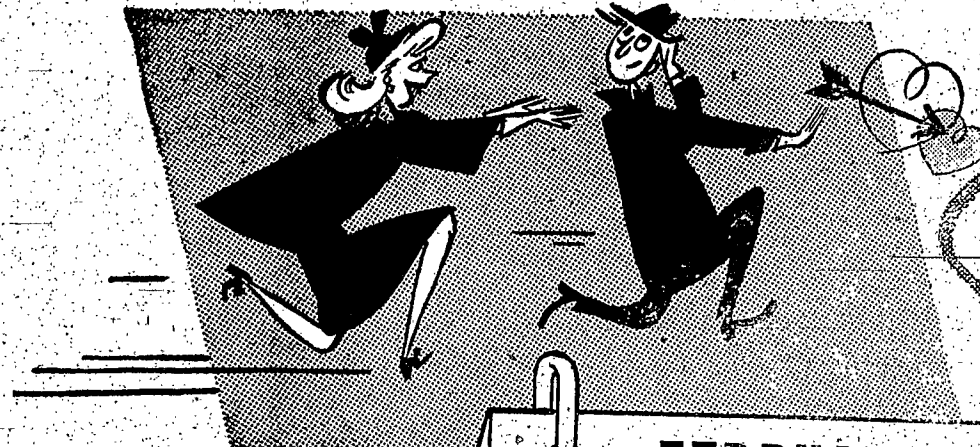
Mr. and Mrs. Charles White and children, Charlene and Cathy, of New Orleans spent the Carnival holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Nelson.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Camors were Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Bourgeois and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Patout of Jeanerette, Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cluckman, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Norwood, Baton Rouge; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jahncke, New Orleans; and Mrs. Jasper Goodwill, Minden, Louisiana. They came for the Carnival Ball at which Mrs. Camors reigned as queen.

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By Mary Lee Taylor
Tuna Macaroni Slices
Broadcast: March 1, 1952
1 well-beaten egg
1/2 cup Pet Milk
1/2 cup water
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
2 teaspoons grated onion
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups cooked macaroni, drained
1 cup grated American cheese
1 cup flaked tuna, drained
4 tablespoons catsup
Mix egg, milk, water, mustard, onion, salt, macaroni, cheese, and tuna in a bowl. Put mixture into a greased baking dish measuring about 9 x 5 inches. Bake in a moderate oven (375°) 45 min. or until firm and light brown. Cut into pieces. Top each with equal parts of catsup. Makes 4 servings.
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ekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Camors were Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Bourgeois and Mrs. Warren Patout of Metairie, Louisiana; Mrs. Mary H. New Iberia; Mr. and Mrs. Cluckman, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Morwood, Baton Rouge; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Joubert and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jahncke, New Orleans; Mrs. Jasper Goodwill, Louisiana. They came for the annual Ball at which Mrs. Camors reigned as queen.



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Mrs. John Martin Fraering, a bride of this month, is the former Miss Mary Leigh Weston, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth McCulloch Weston of Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Fraering is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Camille Fraering of New Orleans and Waveland.

CLERMONT NEWS

Services will be held at Clermont Harbor Methodist church beginning Sunday night, March 2, at 7:00 o'clock continuing every night until March 7.

Rev. A. Heffner of Gulfport will be guest minister, Rev. J. P. Bonnacerrere, pastor, announced.

St. Ann's Altar Society of Clermont Harbor wishes to extend thanks to everyone who donated for the cake walk and bingo party Saturday night.

Thanks are also extended to all who helped in any way to make the party a success.

—Jeffrey Favre, A. J. Chiniche and J. V. Morreale, students at Southeastern Louisiana college, Hammond, spent the weekend with their parents.

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County Agent's Notes PLANTING TIPS

By HOWARD SIMMONS

COTTON
Higher Yields: Plan now to grow at least a bale to the acre on all land planted to cotton in 1952. Take all land out of cotton that won't pay a fair net profit in capital invested.

Plant only that acreage which you can finance and that you have needed machinery, labor, seed, insecticide and fertilizer to care for. Follow the "7-Steps to More Cotton - More Money".

Planting Seed. Buy your planting seed now before the supply is exhausted in the state. Plant only one variety on your farm. Bobshaw 1A; Coker, Deltapine; Empire; Deltos 9169; and Stoneville 2B are the leading cotton varieties in income per acre.

If you saved your own planting seed, send a sample to the State Seed Testing Laboratory at State College for a germination test.

Treat Seed. Make sure that your planting seed have been treated with Ceresan or Dow 9B to help prevent seed-borne disease damage to young seedlings.

Seedbed Preparation is important to high yields. Place mixed fertilizer deep when preparing seedbed. Let seedbed settle and firm before planting. Old cotton stalks should be chopped up finely and turned under as deep as possible. This gets the old stalks out of the way of planting and cultivation operations and diseased stalks are placed below the seed drill and cannot damage young seedlings.

Complete Program. Follow a

complete cotton program using all recommended practices.

HOME GARDENING

Time's A-Wasting. Better get busy and get that home garden plot in shape for planting. Now is the time to beat the high cost of living with a fresh home-grown supply of vegetable. These are not only better than store-bought vegetables but they are cheaper too. Plan to grow enough to preserve by canning, freezing and storing. They surely are good, out-of-season.

Plant Now. Hardy and half-hardy vegetables, like Irish potatoes, English peas, turnips, mustards, radish, onions, carrots and beets should be planted without delay.

STATE INCOME TAX

Who Must File. All farmers who had a gross income of \$5,000 or more from all sources, or a net income in excess of the exemptions and credits allowed in the state income tax law, must file a state income tax return on or before March 15, 1952.

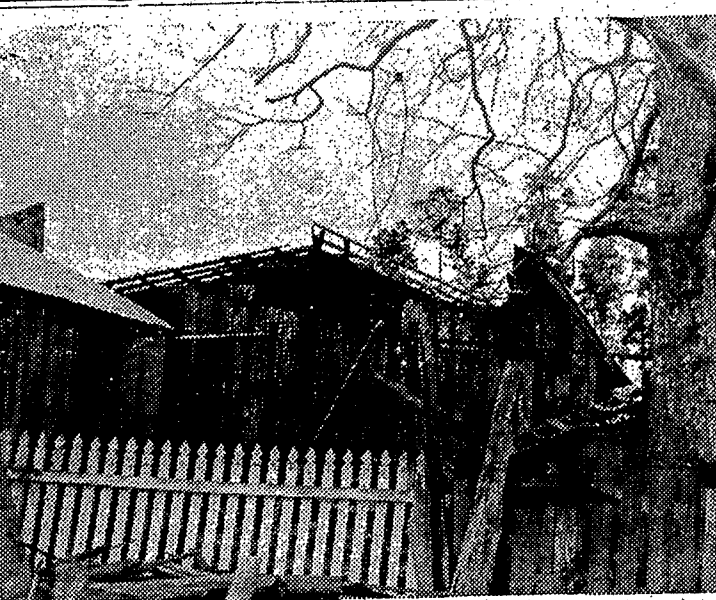
This state income tax return should not be confused with the federal income tax returns. For more information write to "State Tax Commission, Box 980, Jackson, Mississippi."

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bentz of New Orleans have purchased the former Reese Spangenberg home on Julia Street.

Fanny and Donald Cole and Keith Tonkel will attend the Younger Set dance this weekend at the Valencia Club.

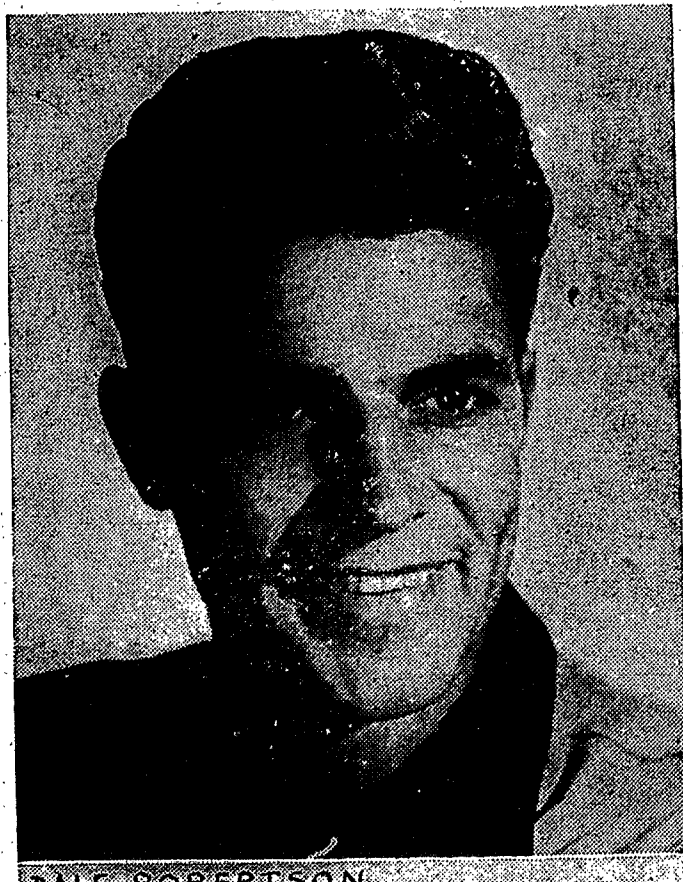
Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Gex had with them over the weekend Mrs. Gex's mother and sister, Mrs. W. W. Calhoun and Miss Gertrude Calhoun, and Miss Eleanor Hausner of New Orleans.

Lucien Gex, who has been on the sick list, is able to get out and be back at his office.



A barn belonging to Ed C. Green of Lakeshore was destroyed Thursday night in the storm that struck this area. The roof on the Green home was blown off, but the remainder of the house was not damaged. Photo by Nellus Favre

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HOME AGENT'S NOTES

By MISS MADGE ALLRED

Your home agent has included information on making wills in two recent columns. This is a third on this important, but often overlooked or put-off subject. The first column summarized why it is so important to make a will. The second described the three kinds of wills and explained some of the legal terms used in wills.

LIMITATIONS TO WILLS
Certain things cannot be willed away. One of these is insurance made payable to a beneficiary. Unless the policy involved has been made payable to a man's estate, he has no power to will it away.

For example, suppose a man had taken out a life insurance policy with a certain company and named his wife, Susan, as his beneficiary. But he willed the proceeds of the policy to his son, James. His wife, Susan, gets the check from the insurance company, regardless of what was said in his will about the son, James, getting the insurance.

If he had wanted his son, and not his wife to get his insurance money, he should have changed his beneficiary on the policy.

United State Savings Bonds held in the name of one person and payable on death to another are not affected by a will.

Property owned by two persons, as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, cannot be disposed of by will. Under such a set-up, the survivor becomes the sole owner of the property, despite any provisions to the contrary in the will of the joint owner.

You might ask: Is there no way to prevent a man from willing away all of his property? Can he leave his wife and children without any property at all?

There is some protection offered for such a situation and that is referred to as Exempt Property. This amount of property cannot be willed away and is not included in the estate for tax or accounting purposes.

Mississippi law does not permit a man to disinherit his wife, but he may disinherit his children provided he calls each by name. Nor can a woman disinherit her husband.

A man must call his children by name in his will in order to dis-



Mr. and Mrs. Warren Traub announce the birth of a nine pound, five ounce son, Thursday, February 28, at 5:30 a. m. at King's Daughters hospital.

This is the Traubs' third child and second son.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vernon, nee Helene Kergosien, of Earle, Arkansas, announce the birth of a daughter, who weighed five pounds, four ounces, in Memphis.

Mrs. Vernon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien of Bay St. Louis.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who helped make the Carnival Ball such a wonderful success.
Sisters of St. Joseph.

inherit them, to simply show that he did not forget about them.

It is not sure that in order to disinherit a person, you must leave them money in the amount of at least one dollar. The fact that a person has been called by name and a statement made to the effect that he is being omitted from the benefits of the will is sufficient proof that he was not forgotten.

WIFE'S SHARE IN PROPERTY
One question that comes up from time to time is: In the event a husband dies without leaving a will, does his property automatically go to his wife?

The answer is: YES, if there are no children. If there are children, Mississippi law provides that a wife inherit a child's part.

If there are small children left and the wife would like to sell the property, she is in for trouble. She cannot dispose of the property without extensive court proceedings. Even after the court gives her permission to sell the property, she cannot touch the money without a court order everytime she needs to make some expenditure.

This arrangement must continue until her youngest child becomes of age.

SJA Mothers To Meet

The St. Joseph Academy Mothers' Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, March 4, at 3:00 p. m. in the Convent den.

C. D. Blairs Announce Daughter's Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Drewry Blair announce the marriage of their daughter, Jane Dorsey, to William Baxter MacMillan of University, Mississippi, Saturday, February 3, at Hernando, Mississippi.

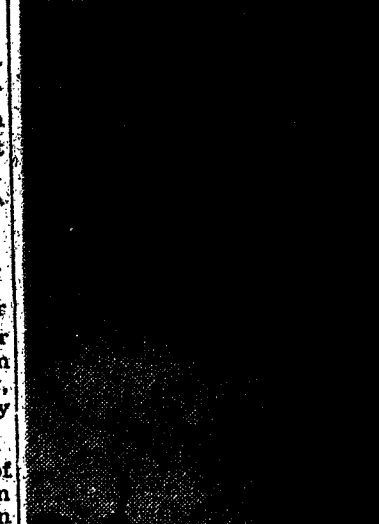
Mr. MacMillan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor C. MacMillan of Puerto Libertador, Dominican Republic.

After April 1, the couple will be at home at University, Mississippi.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the members of the Bay St. Louis Youth Center, wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone who had a part in making our Mardi Gras float, King Cotton, a winning one.

Sybil Koeniger, Directress.



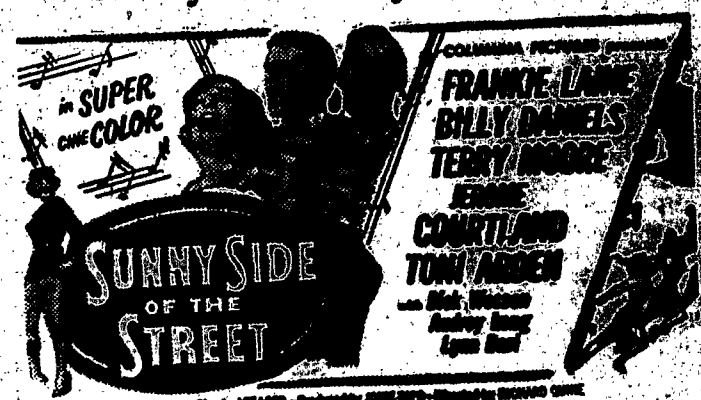
Little Elmer E. Boyd, son of Sgt. and Mrs. Boyd of Bay St. Louis.

Elmer, who is going to be 2 years old soon, has been staying at the home of his grand mother, Mrs. Carmella Sauder, with his mother while his father was on overseas duty with the army.

—Janet Gentin and Dianne Brignac spent Carnival holidays in New Orleans.

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GLORIA JEAN - KEEFE BRASSELLE

FEATURE NO. 2
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"Night Raiders"
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Pass Christian News

By MRS. JOE ALLEN

PASS DOES SHARE IN POLIO FUNDS

Through the leadership of E. A. Lang a concerted effort to assist the George Warm Springs Foundation polio fund was made in Pass Christian, and at the last count approximately \$900 had been deposited.

According to reports from the Warm Springs Foundation the average cost per day per patient is \$17.55. The average stay for patients is 75 days. The last fiscal year shows an all-time record of 998 patients treated for 59,243 hospital days. Of these patients 553 received March of Dimes financial aid. The report shows patients treated from 41 states; the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and 13 foreign countries.

Contributions from local chapters throughout the United States make these treatments possible. Mr. Lang again expresses thanks to those who have helped and urges those who have not yet contributed and plan to do so to send their contributions soon.

WILFORD RANCEFUL GETS FIVE YEAR PRISON TERM

Wilford Ranceful, 30 year old Pass Christian negro was sentenced to a five year prison term for assault with a deadly weapon upon the person of a federal officer in the Federal Court in Biloxi last Tuesday.

W. E. Barcus, investigator for the alcohol tax unit, while in pursuit of his duties, was assaulted by Ranceful. The assault took place in the vicinity of Pass Christian on or about the first of December, 1950. The Court was presided over by Judge Sidney Mize.

GULF COAST REALTORS JOIN NATIONAL UNIT

Representative realtors from four Gulf Coast communities met in Gulfport last week and organized a Gulf Coast real estate board to become affiliated with the National Association of Real Estate Boards. Communities represented at the meeting were Gulfport, Pass Christian, Long Beach and Mississippi City. Organizational officers were selected including Darby H. Gilmer, president; J. Bonner Gladney, Gulfport, vice-president; and Hunter Kimball, Pass Christian, secretary.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S CELEBRATION AT P. T. A.

On Thursday, February 21, children from the first three grades of the Pass Christian Public School entertained the Parent-Teacher Association with a George Washington's birthday celebration. The rhythm band, with Billy Allen wielding the baton, struck up such lively tunes as "Yankee Doodle" and some of the old favorite patriotic numbers including "My Country 'Tis of Thee". Little Jean Adam also took a turn as baton-director. Rhythm Band members wore George Washington style hats and epaulettes. There was a flag drill by three girls from the third grade, and all children joined in singing "The Flag" and "Rat-A-Tat-Tat", then a pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Teachers drilling the children for this performance were Mrs. Katherine McDonald, Mrs. Irene Hodges and Miss Naomi Saucier.

The auditorium was decorated with small flags and red-white and blue paper, and prominently displayed on the platform was a large portrait of George Washington.

Following the program there was a brief business meeting of

the P. T. A. at which time Mrs. Sydney Ellis suggested that a committee call upon the Mayor and bring to his attention the muddy, and almost impassable, condition of the road leading to the kindergarten section of the school. Mrs. George DeMetz made a suggestion that small picnic type tables be provided by the P. T. A. for use on the school grounds. These tables would be for the benefit of students who bring packaged lunch from home. Both of these suggestions are to come before the P. T. A. Executive Committee for consideration before being brought for a vote before the entire organization.

In the Home Economics Department, cake, tea and coffee were served.

FATHER DE SOUZA'S LECTURE ON INDIA WELL ATTENDED

An interested and enthusiastic audience gathered in the auditorium of the Pass Christian High School last Thursday afternoon to hear Father Herbert A. DeSouza's talk on India. Father DeSouza was born in India, and lived in that country for 30 years; for this reason, he was able to picture vividly the Indian schools, their games, problems, customs, and views on international affairs.

"In India," said Father, "there are some 370 different languages spoken. Of these 20 are important." For this reason the English language is used for instruction in the class room, and on the campus students revert to their own language choice. Father DeSouza described the free-time at schools as a "Babel!"

Of games, Father DeSouza explained that basketball was considered a "sissy" game and only girls played it. Small children enjoy a version of hop-scotch and jumping rope.

In regard to education, he pointed out that the majority of Indians cannot read or write.

In speaking of the poverty that exists in India, Father DeSouza said, "about 70 per cent of the people in India live on a salary equivalent to \$10 or \$12 a month. That means it takes a man three days to earn a dollar." He said Indians, for the most part, eat one meal a day with rice as the staple food stuff. They also save the water the rice is boiled in and drink that for added nourishment. The life expectancy of an inhabitant of India is 27 years. "Sixty

per cent of the babies born die within their first year," declared Father DeSouza. "Tuberculosis is very common in India," Father added, "in some parts of the country 55 per cent of the children have T. B." Leprosy is another common disease and, according to Father DeSouza, this disease is not viewed in India with undue alarm.

In describing the crowded housing conditions, Father DeSouza said that often as many as 15 people lived in a single room. That room served as living room, sleeping quarters, kitchen and bath. In the country the poor class of people live in huts made of sticks and cemented together with cow dung. The cow dung gives out a certain amount of warmth and seals the sticks together. When the monsoons come (heavy rains that last continuously day and night for two to three months) these huts are washed away and the people are without homes or shelter. They wander from place to place hoping to keep just one jump ahead of the monsoon.

The caste system has divided Indians even more than diversity of languages. While, in fact, the caste system no longer exists legally, these people are bound by many years of customs and no man feels that, by any reason of personal achievement, he should rise above his caste. At the top of the caste are the Brahmins; second the warrior Kshatriyas; then the Vaisyas who own farms and businesses; fourth, the Sudras or menials — and below caste are some 70 million outcasts! Father DeSouza feels that it will take at least 50 years for the people of India to overcome the shackles of caste-system.

While India is now actually free of British rule, the Indians are not strong and realize they must do much before they are ready to enter international affairs. The Indians care profoundly about their independence. They would like financial aid from the United States.

Father DeSouza spoke of the small class of wealthy people in India. The women are fond of bracelets and ear-rings. They wear bracelets from wrist to well above the forearm. It is a common sight to see women's ear-lobes stretched until they reach the shoulders because of the heavy ear-rings they wear. The holes of these women's ears are enormous — large enough for a child to put his entire fist into his mother's ear. Women of India do not wear shoes, but take

good care of their feet and wear rings on their toes. The costume of an Indian woman is described by Father DeSouza as "elegant". The costume has not changed through the years for the Indian woman feels that her garments have reached the peak of perfection.

Father DeSouza is well qualified to speak of India and handles his subject matter deftly. He is becoming a much sought after speaker along the Gulf Coast and recently held the Rotary Club, spell bound with his after-dinner talk to club members. At present Father DeSouza is living at Xavier Hall.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARADE DRAWS CROWD

There was pomp and ceremony and a good band to top everything in the Mardi Gras mood Saturday when the St. Joseph's school put on its annual Mardi Gras parade. The King, Wolters Terrell, was courtly in his white satin costume.

The Long Beach band was in to form; and the Boy Scouts, geared as American Indians, had a float with Indian Teepees, and real pine forest in the background. This float was sponsored by the Pass Christian Rotary Club.

The Mountain Boys float, composed of Yacht Club members who looked as if they just came from a top Ole Smoky, was original. The mountaineers used Spanish Moss for their beards. Hitch Your Wagon to a Star was the float designed and made by John David and represented in the name of the Pass Christian Lion's Club.

The parade went an extra mile to give joy to a little girl who was sick and unable to take part in the festivities. Little Geraldine David, who helped her daddy with the wheels of the Lion's Club float, was ill; so, the paraders marched to the David's home and Geraldine from her window, was able to see everything.

LAKESHORE MRS. MALCOLM B. GREEN

Saturday, March 1, at 7:00 p. m. a benefit picture show will be given in the Gulfview School for Mr. and Mrs. George Lusich and family.

Jules Schroth of New Orleans and Clermont Harbor has arranged a three hour show that will entertain both adults and children. The original "Texas Hadaool Show" will be the feature, fol-

lowed by a Western, comedies, news reels, musical shorts. As an added attraction, and by popular request, Mr. Schroth will repeat a showing of the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stoufflet of Baldwin Plantation, the square dances, held in Lakeshore at the Civic Hall and the Old V. Moran Farm. Admission for this worthy cause will be 35c for adults and 10c for children. Show starts promptly at 7:00 p. m.

The take walk given by Mrs. Malcolm Green Sunday in Gulfview gymnasium for Mr. and Mrs. George Lusich was a success and a net sum of \$487.74 was given to the Lusich family, whose home was destroyed last Thursday. Mrs. Green wishes to extend thanks to Vic Green and to Gerald Luther for combining their bands and donating their services. Thanks to Oren Seal and Gulfview trustees for the use of the gym and to the following for their donations:

Lester Haverty, Mrs. Brink, Eva Garcia, Harold Garcia, Jerome Carver and Mesdames Julia Hose, Floyd Green, Sr., Andrew Ladner, Oren Seal, Horatio Ladner, Clarence Moran, Frank Neccaise, Luther Perkins, Martha Johnson, E. E. Breland, Ida Whitney, Jeanne Williams, Abe Williams, Milton Stoufflet, Reginald Moran, Noah Garcia, John Hourbeight, Henry Bosarge, Mrs. Henry Schwartz, Ray Bortage, Chris Luxich and Rudolph Lusich.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Bennett have returned to their home in Bay St. Louis after being in New Orleans for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clulee and daughter Margaret of Rigolets, were recent visitors in the Lakeshore home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Carver and daughters, Dolores and Betty of Bay St. Louis and Mary Lynn Raymond, attended the cake walk Sunday.

Curtis Asher of Highway 90 won the grand prize, a five pound cake Sunday.

Mrs. Brink and daughter, Ruth, of Clermont Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. August Moran, of Ansley, Mrs. Martha Johnson, Mrs. Olivia Neccaise, Mrs. Georgia Ladner and

Mrs. Virginia LaFontaine, all of Bay St. Louis, were seen enjoying the cake walk at Lakeshore sym.

Mrs. L. Villimil and grandson, Irvin, spent Mardi Gras as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Strickland of Chalmette and were later joined by Mr. Villimil who arrived from Havana, Cuba, on the S. S. Antiqua Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Strong of Shuglak, Mississippi, announce the birth of a son, January 31 in Meridian hospital.

GAINESVILLE

by Mrs. Tommie Patch

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Osbourne and children of New Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and children of Gulfport were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones.

Louis O'Brien of New Orleans was a visitor here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosaire were visitors in New Orleans Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Rester and R. Lynn Davis were visitors in Slidell Sunday.

Mrs. Iberia Mars and baby, who have been visiting in Baton Rouge and New Orleans, returned home Sunday.

Carol and Pat Jones, Gladys Patch and R. Lynn Davis attended the Bay St. Louis-Picayune basketball games Tuesday night at Picayune.

Mrs. Sune Henley of Gulfport was a visitor Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Wood.

Mrs. Henry Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Van Loveless were visitors in Gulfport Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Davis Sr. and baby and Mrs. Faye of Bay St. Louis, were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Cora Davis.

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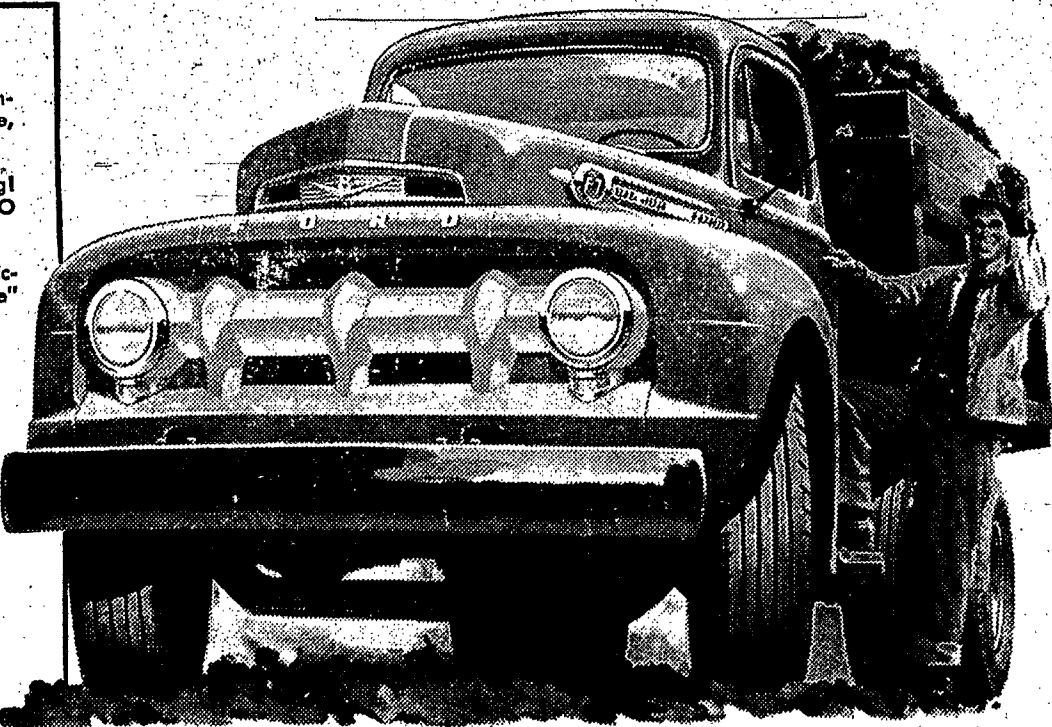
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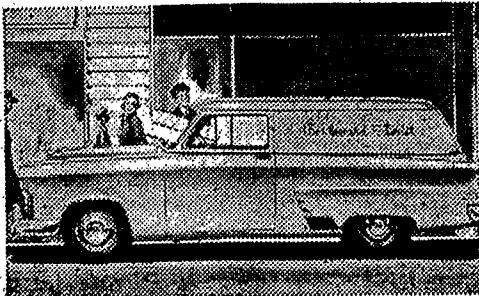
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One motor grader powered by Diesel four cylinder engine not less than 70 H. P. equipped with a forward transmission, weight approximately 18,285 lbs.

In purchasing said equipment, the Board intends to take advantage of the provisions of House Bill 260, Laws of Mississippi, 1950, and pay therefor in installments, and when the amount of the notes is determined, the Board will thereupon receive bids for the sale thereof.

Published by order of the Board of date February 4th, 1952.
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL, Clerk

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, will receive sealed bids until 11:00 o'clock A. M., on the 3rd day of March, 1952, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, One Used Mell Blumberg Power Grader, same having been used and presently used and may be inspected in District One, of Hancock County.

Said bids to be filed with the Clerk of this Board, on or before 11:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 3rd, 1952.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and official seal of office, this 4th day of February, A. D., 1952.
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Said bids to be filed with the Clerk of this Board, on or before 11:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 3rd, 1952.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and official seal of office, this 4th day of February, A. D., 1952.
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL, Clerk, Board of Supervisors

IN THE MATTER OF THE

ESTATE OF FOREST FLOUE,

EXECUTOR

NO. 6239

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Forest Floue, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 29th day of January, 1952, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to do so will bar the claim.

ALBERT FLOUE, Executor of the Estate of Forest Floue, deceased.

2/1/52

IN THE MATTER OF THE

ESTATE OF JOHN KENMAR,

DECEASED, BY: LELAND L.

LEE, EXECUTOR

NO. 6238

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of John Kenmar, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 7th day of February, 1952, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to do so will bar the claim.

LELAND L. LEE, Executor of the Estate of John Kenmar, deceased.

2/15/52

IN THE MATTER OF THE

ESTATE OF EUGENE J. ULMER,

DECEASED, BY: CATHERINE H.

ULMER, EXECUTRIX

NO. 6238

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Eugene J. Ulmer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 18th day of February, 1952, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to do so will bar the claim.

CATHERINE H. ULMER, Executrix of the Estate of Eugene J. Ulmer, deceased.

2/15/52

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 6238

Notice is hereby given that letters Testamentary on the estate of Miss Clemence Faye, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 18th day of February, 1952, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 18th day of February, 1952.

LEO W. SEAL, Executor.

2/22/52

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, will receive sealed bids until 11:00 o'clock A. M., on the 3rd day of March, 1952, for furnishing to Hancock County, approximately 75 pieces more or less of 2 1/2" x 28 or 29 Gauge, Corrugated Galvanized Roofing, 26 inches wide.

Said bids to be filed with the Clerk of this Board, on or before 11:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 3rd, 1952.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and official seal of office, this 4th day of February, A. D., 1952.
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL, Clerk, Board of Supervisors

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One Motor Grader powered by Diesel four cylinder engine not less than 70 H. P. equipped with a forward transmission weight approximately 20,600 lbs. Enclosed Cab.

In purchasing said equipment,

the Board intends to take advantage of the provisions of House Bill 260, Laws of Mississippi, 1950, and pay therefor in installments, and when the amount of the notes is determined, the Board will thereupon receive bids for the sale thereof.

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(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL, Clerk

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Town Hall of the Town of Waveland on the 23rd day of February, 1952, for the purpose of electing an Alderman for the 4th Ward of said Town.

The candidates desiring to have their names placed upon the ticket must file a written petition signed by AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) ELECTORS FROM THE 4th WARD OF THE TOWN OF WAVE LAND. The said petition just referred to must be filed with one of the undersigned Election Commissioners AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) DAYS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF SAID ELECTION.

WITNESS our signatures this 19th day of January, A. D., 1952.

GUY DREW, MRS. RUTH MEILLEUR, C. A. LADNER, Election Commissioners, Town of Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi.

1/25/52

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF

HANCOCK COUNTY,

MISSISSIPPI

No. 6243

IN RE: VALIDATION OF \$9,100.00 ROAD EQUIPMENT NOTES, SUPERVISOR'S DISTRICT NUMBER FOUR, HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO BE DATED AT THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE EQUIPMENT STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

To the Taxpayers of the Supervisor's District Number Four of Hancock County, Mississippi, You are hereby notified that the matter of the validation of the above described notes will be heard on the 5th day of May, 1952, at 10 o'clock a.m. in the Chancery Court, at the Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, at or before which time and day, written objections, if any, must be filed.

By order of the Chancellor, this 20th day of February, 1952.
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL, Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 253, Laws of 1938, an election will be held on the 9th day of April, 1952, between 8:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. to select from nominees three (3) Commissioners for the Hancock County Soil Conservation District.

Voting Places: Lakeshore School, Kiln School, K. C. Building, Bay St. Louis.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Parks & Playgrounds Commission of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids to be delivered to the Secretary of the Commission, Mrs. Caroline Kiefer, on or before 1:30 P. M., Wednesday, March 12th, 1952, for furnishing to the said Parks & Playgrounds Commission the following equipment:

Five or more sets of swings; 3 or more sets of shutles, Everwear Manufacturing Company or equal.

Two or more sets of seesaws; 1 or more merry-go-round, Giant Manufacturing Company or equal.

Above mentioned Catalogs and Pamphlets on file at the office of the Secretary of said Parks & Playgrounds Commission, City Hall.

The Parks & Playgrounds Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 29 day of February, 1952.

PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

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Sellers School, Leetown School, Aaron Academy School.

Signed by authority of an order of the State Soil Conservation Committee in its minutes of February 8, 1952.

CHARLIE R. ASHFORD, Secretary.

2/29/52

ORDINANCE NO. 130

COMMISSION COUNCIL SERIES

AN ORDINANCE DISTRIBUTING

EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE

DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE COMMISSION

COUNCIL INTO DEPARTMENTS, DEFINING AND DESIGNATING CONTROL THEREOF.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the

Commission Council of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, that the

departments of Government of said City of Bay St. Louis be and they are hereby distributed and divided

into the three departments as follows to-wit:

DEPARTMENT 1. Mayor, W. J. Carver, Police Justice and Superintendent of Streets, Public Highways, City Hall Lights, Telephone and Fire Department.

DEPARTMENT 2. Commissioner of Finance: Sylvan J. Ladner, Jr., Tax Collector, Water Rent Collector, Gas Collector, Assessor, Collector of Pond Fees and all Miscellaneous Collections and Surpluses.

DEPARTMENT 3. Commissioner of Public Utilities: J. Cyril Glover, Vice-President of the Commission Council, City Clerk, Superintendent of Sanitation, Schools, Water Works Superintendent and Natural Gas Superintendent.

Section 2. That the Superintendent of each one of the Departments shall be selected by a vote of the Council.

Section 3. That all Ordinances in so far as the same are inconsistent herewith shall be and are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days after its passage.

ORDAINED THIS, the 4th day of February, A. D. 1952.

WARREN CARVER, Mayor

ATTEST: J. CYRIL GLOVER, Commissioner of Finance.

SYLVAN J. LADNER, JR., Commissioner of Public Utilities.

The above and foregoing ordinance having been first reduced to writing, and in its present form, and on motion duly seconded same was considered section by section, and then as a whole, the vote on the final passage of said ordinance was as follows:

Those voting Yea: W. J. Carver, J. Cyril Glover and Sylvan J. Ladner, Jr.

Those voting Nay: None.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received at the City Hall by the Parks and Playgrounds Commission March 11, at 1:30 p. m. for reconstruction of the concrete tennis court on the City Hall grounds.

Bids are to be submitted to the Parks and Playgrounds Commission no later than March 11.

Specifications are on file at the City Hall.

MRS. CAROLINE KIEFER, Secretary, Parks and Playgrounds Commission of the City of Bay St. Louis.

2/28/52

Home Demonstrators

Meet Thursday

The Bay-Waveland Home Demonstration club met Thursday, February 21, at the home of Mrs. P. Hayes.

Six new members were welcomed, and a movie, "Truly Yours," on altering dresses, was shown.

A box of clothing for welfare children was collected, and members were reminded to attend the next Council meeting to be held March 14 at the R. E. A. building. The local club will serve as hostesses.

Reports on "Better Homes," are to be in by April, and it was announced that a book review would be held April 3.

The club will meet March 20 at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. H. E. Gibbs as hostess at her home, 1298 W. Beach Boulevard, Pass Christian.

City Echoes

Eugene Smith of Hopkinsville spent several days here as the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Farr.

Roy Farris, U. S. Marines, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest L. Favre.

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MAINE GRASS...

(Continued from front page)

Dezire Kiefer and Ida Schwartz. Mrs. J. E. Erwin, Miss Alma Parke, Mrs. John Hebert and Mrs. Charles Breath, are to be commended for this tableau.

Ushers were Misses Myrna Carver and June Carver.

Entertainment for the Court, presented by Mrs. Carl Smith, was a Ballet by Beverly Miller; Tap dance by Ernie Butkin, sort toe by Alice Banderet; tap dance by Beverly Miller and Ballet by Carol Horton.

Mayor Warren Carver, as Master of Ceremonies, presented the Court with favors and made the awards to the best entries captured by the "Bees." St. Joseph's Academy, first prize; second, "Jungle," Christ Church second grade. The Teen-Age Club entry, "Cotton," captured first prize in the business-organization classification; Betty Younger, astiride "Wilson," of the Lazy V Stables, was first in the horseman classes.

Steve Kranky was first among the decorated bicycles. Mickey Lader, as "Pappy Yokum," Marie Moran as "Martha Washington" and Albert and Jackie Blanchard as "Daniel Boone" were first, second and third, in the children's masquerade awards. Marie Raymond and Dolores Carver as "Hoboes" were the adult winners.

The masquerade dance in the evening was enjoyed by a great many persons and a prize was given to the "Black and White Clowns," Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Talbot, and Mrs. Myrtle Santa Cruz.

Gardeners Hear Talk On Pecans

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club met Thursday, February 14, at the home of Mrs. James A. Evans. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Evans were Mesdames John Dicks, Felix Bruen, Hilda Erwin, A. P. Smith, F. R. Curran and Joseph Kern, and Misses Clara Kergosien and May H. Edwards.

Miss Edwards, program chairman for the day, gave an interesting talk on the fertilization of pecan trees.

Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab spoke to the members of the National Convention of Garden Clubs to be held in Biloxi in March. Reports from various committees were read.

A GIRL FOR McDONALD'S

Mr. and Mrs. David McDonald announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Marilyn, Thursday, February 28, at 1:30 p.m. at Baptist hospital, New Orleans.

This is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McDonald and great grandchild of Mrs. W. A. McDonald.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Joyce and children visited Mrs. Joyce's mother who enjoyed the Carnival festivities in New Orleans.

The 4-H Story

Democracy has a growing bulwark—a bulwark that stretches across our great country and into Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico.

That bulwark is 4-H Club Work where boys and girls learn the great privileges and responsibilities of democracy; individual initiative; active citizenship; respect for others' accomplishments; group cooperation; healthy competition; love of farm home and community; interchange of ideas from club to club across state lines.

The story of the development of such a great bulwark is faithfully presented in the first history of 4-H Club Work, "The 4-H Story," just published by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, 59 East Van Buren Street, Chicago, 5, Illinois.

An exciting panorama is set in motion by the inspirational words in "The 4-H Story," which came after Author Franklin M. Reck's many months of careful research, interviews with pioneers in the movement, data checking with the U. S. Department of Agriculture and State 4-H Club Leaders, and the reading of all available records.

"The 4-H Story," which the author says "is too great a movement to be claimed by any one man," unfolds through the early 1900s when the country was ready, youth was ready, the time was right for a great upsurge of rural power. Simultaneously, in various parts of the country, corn clubs and canning clubs appeared, as county superintendents of schools sought to make education a more vital factor in the everyday living of the boys and girls.

Then the colleges found a way to let their new discoveries be known through youth—eager, inspired, energetic youth, who planted the experimental corn, who used the new ideas, who came together in groups for discussions of better methods and for comparing results. In 1911 the four-leaf clover with its signifying head, heart, hands, and health appeared, and by 1918 the term "4-H Clubs" was being generally used.

With the passage of the Smith-Lever Act in 1914, the Cooperative Extension Service was established, and a national program was on the way. In 1919 a group of public-spirited citizens foresaw a role for industry in building a stronger 4-H, in strengthening our youth, in participating in the development of rural areas to which industry owed so much.

From these beginnings came the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, National Awards programs, National 4-H Club Congress and other services to 4-H Club Work.

In 1927, National 4-H Camp came into being to honor 4-H boys and girls with outstanding abilities in leadership and citizenship. At this first National 4-H Camp, the 4-H pledge and motto were officially adopted.

All this and much more are in "The 4-H Story" with countless episodes of early vision, youth's



Shown above are the king and queen of the 1952 Carnival Ball held at St. Joseph Academy Friday night, with members of their court.

MEC To Hold Board Election

responsiveness, the strength and devotion of local volunteer 4-H leaders, the capable direction of federal, state, and county extension workers. The hope of our country lies in our youth, and today 2,000,000 boys and girls, active members of 4-H Clubs, are living by the 4-H's of head, heart, hands and health to build richness into their lives, into their farms and homes and into this wonderful country of ours.

"The 4-H Story" may be ordered for \$3.00, postpaid from the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, 59 East Van Buren Street, Chicago 5, Illinois. It has 308 pages, 28 chapters, 91 illustrations, an easy-to-use index, dark green hard covers, and is 7x9 inches in size.



Luke M. Scianna, son of John Scianna, of Bay St. Louis, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal. Scianna, who is stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, has been in the Army since April, 1951.

Twenty-four new members will be elected soon to the board of directors of the Mississippi Economic Council, bringing the total number elected on the board to 60 for the next fiscal year, according to changes recently voted in by-laws of the MEC by members.

Frank E. Everett, Jr., Vicksburg, Council president said: increasing the size of the board is one of the major changes voted. Presently the board is composed of 36 men.

The official said over 90 percent of the members voted to make changes in order to spread responsibility and at the same time streamline operation of the statewide organization.

The increase in the directorship also calls for increasing the geographical areas of the Council from 12 to 20. Fifteen additional new directors will be named by the president from the state at large for one year, while the others will be elected by the membership in the geographical areas, Mr. Everett said.

Other changes voted in the by-laws were: The vice-president will automatically become president the following year, beginning in the year 1953.

A new director may not be selected from the county in which the retiring one lives, provided there is sufficient membership in other counties in area for representative election.

No elected director may be nominated to succeed himself. The immediate past president becomes an ex-officio member

of the Board for three years.

The by-laws changes were made after a special committee, composed of C. Arthur Sullivan of Jackson, Gerard Brandon of Natchez, and W. W. Gresham of Indianola, made a study of present procedures.

Mr. Everett said plans are now going forward to hold elections in the geographical areas to name new directors. The new officials will take office on May 1. They will attend a board meeting on the night of April 7 preceding the annual meeting.

The 3 members of the by-laws committee will serve as the election committee.

City Echoes

—Mrs. John Mirambell and daughter of New Orleans spent several days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Larroux and family.

—Mrs. M. J. Languirand and children spent several days last week in Abbeville, Louisiana, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Eldredge.

—Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien left Tuesday for Earle, Arkansas, to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vernon.

—Mrs. Dave Hill, who has been a patient at Memorial Hospital, Gulfport, was transferred to King's Daughters hospital this week by Fahey's ambulance.

—Mrs. Henry Prevost was taken to Memorial Hospital, Gulfport, for treatment.

—Mrs. Andrew J. Ojeda of New Orleans was the recent guest of Mrs. Joseph G. Scalfide.

—Miss Ethel Ann Raymond spent the weekend in New Orleans as the guest of Mrs. C. Mamus.

—Miss Decima Rea of Wesson, Mississippi, spent several days last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Kirkpatrick.

—Mrs. Robert Breakway of Houston, Texas, is visiting Mrs. John A. Green, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Oda.

—Guests of Mrs. Nellie Nelson Sunday were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nelson, and children of New Orleans.

—Guests of Miss Clara Kergosien and Mr. add Mrs. J. K. Morlan over the weekend were Colonel and Mrs. Jack Wagner and granddaughter, Jackie Wegner, of Fort Benning, Georgia. With Mr. and Mrs. Morlan, they attended the balls of Proteus and Rex and took in the Carnival festivities Tuesday.

—Gerald Cox, Andre Arceneaux and Freddie Cabell enjoyed the Carnival holidays in New Orleans.

—Mrs. C. C. McDonald returned Wednesday from Houston, Texas, where she visited her son, Lt. James McDonald who underwent an operation last week.

—Mrs. Eugene Davis spent the weekend in New Orleans as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Folse.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Necaise Sr., and daughter, Jean, spent a few days at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bowen.

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